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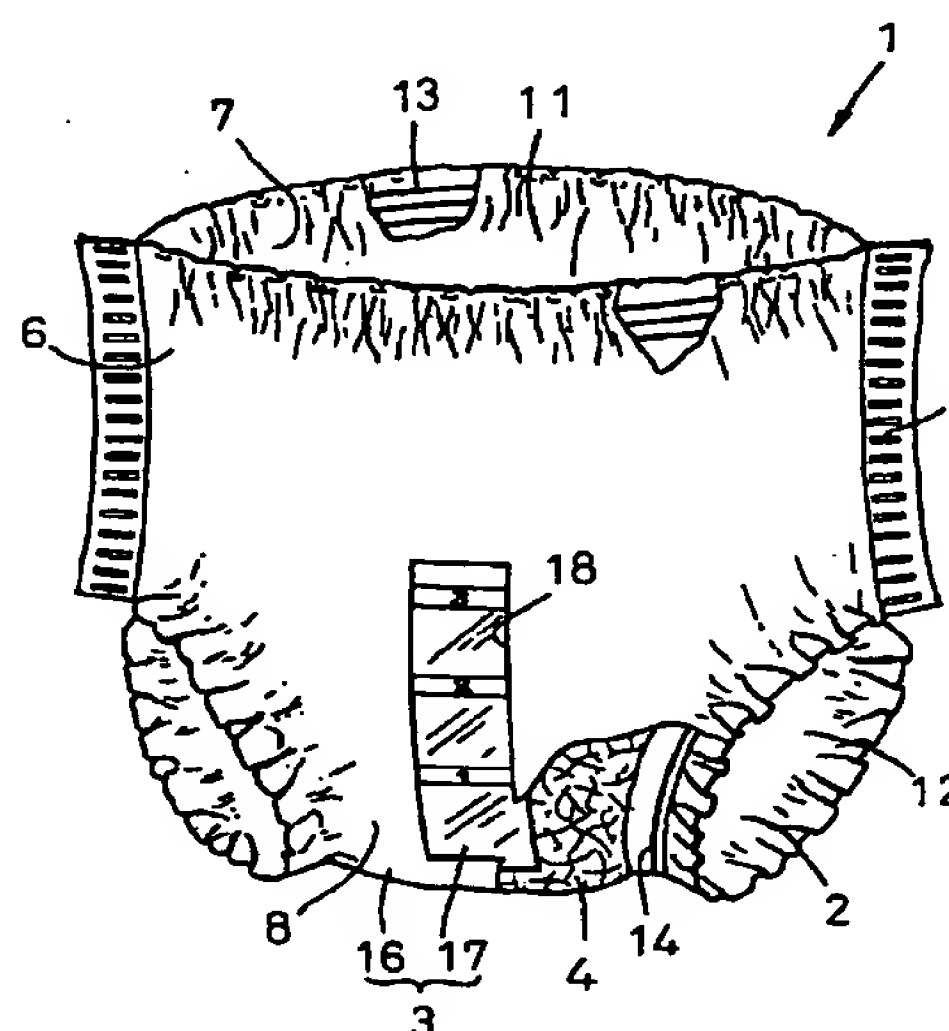
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(54) **Disposable diaper**

(57) A disposable diaper including a topsheet, a backsheet and a core disposed therebetween so as to define a front waist region, a rear waist region and a crotch region extending therebetween, the backsheet being formed at least in a transversely middle location of the crotch region with a transparent zone through which a wetness of the core due to urine can be observed.

FIG.1



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